



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Freestone , Texas [48161]**

Freestone is one of 254 counties in Texas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2005 population of 18,617 ranked 123rd in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Freestone had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,468. This PCPI ranked 200th in the state and was 68 percent of the state average, \$33,253, and 65 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.6 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 7.4 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Freestone was \$14,426 and ranked 217th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Freestone had a total personal income (TPI) of \$418,296<sup>\*</sup>. This TPI ranked 128th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Freestone was \$250,525<sup>\*</sup> and ranked 134th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 6.1 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 9.3 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.7 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Freestone. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 64.5 percent of TPI (compared with 55.4 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.6 percent (compared with 21.7 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 22.9 percent (compared with 22.9 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 7.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 1.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.7 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 6.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 0.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.3 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Freestone increased from \$250,882<sup>\*</sup> in 2004 to \$279,840<sup>\*</sup> in 2005, an increase of 11.5 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 7.6 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$133,960<sup>\*</sup> to the 2005 estimate was 7.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.9 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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